CHAPTER 122

AGRICULTURE

HOUSE BILL 17-1197

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Ginal, Catlin, Saine, Valdez; also SENATOR(S) Coram, Crowder, Fenberg, Gardner, Martinez Humenik, Merrifield, Moreno

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE EXCLUSION OF MARIJUANA FROM THE DEFINITION OF "FARM PRODUCTS" WITH REGARD TO REGULATION OF FARM PRODUCTS UNDER THE "FARM PRODUCTS ACT".

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-16-103, **amend** (5)(b); and **add** (5.7) as follows:

- **12-16-103. Definitions rules.** As used in this part 1, unless the context otherwise requires:
- (5) (b) "Farm products" does not include poultry and poultry products, timber products, nursery stock, or commodities, OR MARIJUANA.
- (5.7) "Marijuana" has the same meaning as set forth in section 16 (2)(f) of article XVIII of the Colorado constitution.
- **SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 9, 2017, if adjournment sine die is on May 10, 2017); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2018 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: April 6, 2017

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.